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Washington, D.C. 20231 Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a _____ Non-Provisional Original ____ Utility ___ Design Patent Application, __X__ Continuation ____ Divisional ____ Continuation-in-Part Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/122,404 filed on July 25, 1998 by ERNST REICHWEIN and JOSEPH G. WHITE for INTERACTIVE EQUIPMENT DIAGNOSTIC AND ORDER WRTING SYSTEM from which priority is claimed.

Enclosed are:

- An original specification, claims, drawing and Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- X A true copy of the pending prior application, including the specification, claims, drawings, oath or declaration, and any amendments referred to in the oath or declaration as originally filed. Any such amendments referred to in the oath or declaration filed to complete the prior application did not introduce new matter therein.
- _X_ A preliminary amendment is enclosed to be entered in the new application after a filing date has been granted.
- _X_ New formal drawings are enclosed with the preliminary amendment.
- _X_ An information disclosure statement.

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- 1. Continuation Patent Application
- 2. 54 sheets of drawings
- 3. Power of Attorney by Assignee and Revocation of Prior Power
- 4. Preliminary Amendment
- 5. \$517.00 filing fee (Encl.)
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